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The idea of autumn as a sad season is largely derived from the writings of English poets. In America, after universal summer flitting and return, with a revival of vigor and endeavor, it is usually looked upon as the beginning, not the end, of the year, and this present autumn, after all that has been passed through, promises in Wheeling at least, to be unusually gay and will be especially halled with delight. All the many social clubs of 1897-98 are now in process of reorganization, and many favorites in the social realm, however, will furnish the key-note for most of the fashionable complimentary entertaining, while the Charity Ball under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy, to be given Christmas week, forecasts that all social doings will not have aimless pleasure alone for the motive. The coming week brilliantity ushers in the season, with the Storer-Monat puptials.

The summer Thursday Morning Whist Club has changed its hours to the evening after dinner. The ladies comprising this clab are Mrs. Julius Pollock, Mrs. James B. Taney, Mrs. W. W. Arnett and Miss Julia Wilson. Meetings at the homes of members either Wednesdays or Saturdays.

Monday evening, from I to 11, at the country home of Mr. W. P. Hubbard, will be given the usual weekly musicale, the evening being this time changed from Tuesday because of the Storer-Moffat weedling.

This afternoon the Charity Whist club meets at the residence of Mrs. W. W. Arnett, ready for its winter campaign for the sake of charity. There will no doubt be a large attendance.

Monday evening Mrs. J. F. Merriman, Mrs. Margaret Dalzell, Mrs. Martha E. Whitaker and Miss Kate Hunter play duplicate whist at the home of the Misses Hunter, on Fourteenth street.

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Tuesday evening at \$230 o'clock, will be solemnized the marrisge of Dr. John Waddell Storer and Miss Mary Hudson Moffat, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Moffat, in the Second Presbyterian church, historic in the traditions of the family of the bride-elect. Over seven hundred invitations have been issued, the ushers of this concourse of, friends to be Mr. Archie Moffat, brother of the bride; Mr. Charles W. Paxton, Mr. Sam Harper, Mr. Frank Berry, Mr. Will P. Wilson and Mr. Tom Sweeney. Mr. Archiv G. Hubbard will accompany Dr. Storer to the aliar and the attendants to Miss Moffat are her sister, Miss Blanche Moffat, as maid of honor, and Miss Jessie Moffat, Miss Eisle Whitaker, Miss Elizabeth Mendel, Miss Sue Caldwell, Miss Louise Todd Baird, of this olty, and Miss Bessie Dana, of Charleston. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. James D. Moffat, president of Washington-Jefferson college, brother of Mr. T. C. Moffat, and Rev. Joseph Speers, pasitor of the church, after which a reception will be tendered the bridal party and the immediate relatives of the contracting families, at the handsome residence of the bride's parents on South Chaplibe street. The planning of the wedding has been characterized by beautiful simplicity, and will be so carried out. The color scheme is pink and white, the organdle dresses of the young girls to reflect this in a dainty shade. The young men comprising the party were last evening entertained by Dr. Storer at the Fort Henry club, and the young men comprising the party were last evening entertained by Dr. Storer at the Fort Henry Club, and the young women by Miss Louise Todd Baird, at the residence of her mother on Fourteenth street. This first wedding of the season unities two of the best known and oldest families in the state. Dr. Storer is the only son of the late William B. Quarrier and the late Rev. John Menfat, men prominent in the early advancement of this city. Boys' and Youths' Box Calf and Quarrier and the late Rev. John Moffat, ment of this city.

Mrs. Frank J. Hearne is in New York City, in attendance at the sick bed of Mr. Edwin Hearne.

Mrs. Charles J. Milton, of St. Louis who has been the guest of her father, Major Loring, during the summer, left for home Wednesday, taking her father with her in hope of benefitting his

Mrs. Fannie Caldwell Hempstone, of Washington City, will be at home for the winter at the McLure House.

Miss Florence Atkinson is the house ruest of Miss Bessle Rice,on Fourteenth street.

The Twentieth Century Girls met for the first time this senson at the rest-dence of General Alfred Caldwell, on North Main street, his daughters Miss Laura and Miss Helen, being prominent mbers of the organization.

The Married Ladies' Euchre Club met luring the week, preparatory to the vinter's regular meetings.

Mrs. Jacob W. Grubb entertained duplicate whist club yesterday after-noon. This special set embraces Mrs. J. W. Grubb, Mrs. Charles H. Taney, Mrs. W. W. Arnett and Mrs. Alex Campbell.

Rev. and Mrs. Nathaniel S. Thomas, Mrs. J. D Culbertson and Miss Mamle D. Grubb, are a party contemplating a trip to Washington City. Monday, Oc-ober 3, in connection with church work.

Hon, and Mrs. John A. Howard are at home at the Harden residence on Twelfth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stalmann are at home at Harden's, on North Main street.

Mrs. John H. Storer, of Clearfield, Pa., is in the city for the Storer-Moffat wed-ding, and is the guest of her son at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Merriman, on North Chapline street.

Mrs. Julius Poilock and daughter.Miss Emily, are in Burlington, Iowa, Mrs. Pollock's girlhood home. They were oxiled there by death of Mr. Ashley Crape, a nephew of Mrs. Pollock, who

North Main street. Mrs. Panina Cald-well Hempstone, of Washington, D. C. soprano, will be one of the attractions others on the programme will be from the best in Musical Wheeling. enlisted in the war and contracted ty-phoid fever at Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bates Woods will be at home for some time at Monument Place, Major Alonso Loring's residence.

MUSICAL WHEELING.

At the Opera House, on Friday evening, will occur, what promises to be a brilliant affair, and warrants, from received pressortices, a large audience. The organization is the Cameron Concert Company and embraces Miss Cameron, the possessor of a beautiful soprano voice, called "America's greatest soprano; Delsy Kerr King, prima donna contraito; Charles Higgins, violin virtuose; C. Herbert Kerr, composer and eminent planist, and lines de Costa, accompanist. With these affairs music interest in Wheeling will be re-awakened. Well, here's a greetin' to you; I'm still inside the ring.
An'a-lovin' an'a-list'nin' to the songs the order sing.
But they sing.
But my line on the shelf.
An' my heart makes all the music, but it keeps it to itself.
I can't tell you why I'm quiet—why I don't chirp as before;
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The Philharmonic Club, whose delightful "Tuesday Evenings" were thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated by the cultured of the city, has as yet no definite plan for re-organization as a public musical benefactor, though private rehearsals at the residence of Mr. Hermann M. Schockey, on Chapline street, have begun. The personnel of the Quartet remains as before, H. M. Schockey, first violin and plano; Edward Blumenberg, viola and solo violin; R. Farber, second violin; Fred Meyer, 'cello. The names recall and acknowledge the club's worth and it were a pity if their work should be withheld because wanting of outside show of interest from lovers of the best in music. Many suggestions have been put to the gentlemen comprising the Quartet, among which the most feasible seemed the "guarantee fund" to be made up by a number of gentlemen each subscribing one hundred dollars for the season, and the price of admission to concerts to be made within the reach of every-body, therewith allowing a hearing of every concert in the series, while all young students of every school of music in the cits were to be admitted if not entirely free of charge, at very much reduced rates. Up to this time, however, the guarantee list has not been made and R is more than probable that a meeting will be called during the next ten days of all interested, and some idea formulated as to the choice between a subscribers' list (the former season's plan) and the one mentioned above. Whatever the outcome the "Philharmonic" should be one of this winter's attractions, for the reason that Wheeling's recognised striving for greater things along cultured and refined lines should make the city able to boast of chamber music concerts everyother-week, well attended. The Philharmonic Club, whose delightful "Tuesday Evenings" were thoroughboast of chamber music concerts every-other-week, well attended.

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The Woman's Club, with Mrs. George B. Caldwell as president, and Mrs. Flora Williams as chorus director, will next week issue invitations to all ladies eligible to active membership in the club, who will present the cards when applying for admission at the A. O. U. W. hall on Saturday afternoon. October 1, between 2 and 5 o'clock. The meetings will be held on Saturdays during October, preparing for the first matinee, which is booked for the first Saturday in November. Invitations for associate membership will be sent out after the active membership is well established. The prospects of the club for its fourtiseason are very flattering.

The Oratorio Society, Paris R. Myers director, is not yet called to order. No meeting having been arranged for this coming Monday night, and Monday being the society's evening, it is more than likely that Monday, October 3, will be selected for the assembling of this season's members. From the director it is learned that the first study will be Haydn's "Creation" this to be publicly sung during the Christmas holidays, after which "Elijah," by Mendelssohn, will be taken up.

The Orpheus Society, Professor Henry full and interested membership.

The Arion and Mozart singing society The Arion and Mozart singing societies, Professor Schockey, director, are at work on the music to be sung by them at the Cheinnati Saengerfestand their director is much encouraged with the progress noticeable from week to week. Wheeling will have cause to be proud of these representatives.

The Opera House orchestra, Prof. E. W. Spell, conductor, and Meyers' orchestra, William Meyer, conductor, are still giving their Sunday concerts, but are reheatrsing new music in the interim for the coming winter's social obligations.

The Waldo Mandolin and Guitar Club, The Waldo Mandolin and Guitar Club, as well as other similar organizations, promise to be especially in demand during the season at small and exclusive functions. The appropriateness of such music is being recognized as a delightful accompaniment to society small talk, as well as thoroughly enjoyable to all classes of listeners, from the learned musical scholar to the unsophisticated dilletante.

The city choirs are about fixed again after a summer's vacation. At St. Luke's P. E. church, Mr. Archibald A. Taylor was chosen director of the choir. No better choice could have been made; Mr. Taylor is to be congratulated upon the early recognition of his ability. At the First Presbyterian church Miss Mary Wilde, whose musicianship and spiendid manipulation of any organ, is recognized not only in this city, but in surrounding towns, replaces Mr. Joseph L. Rhees organist; Mr. Baum, basso, a young man with an exceptionally fine voice and much musical promise, and Mr. Ewait, ranking among the first tenorsingers in Wheeling, and whose musical temperment especially adapts him to bits present work are fully respecor singers in wheeling, and whose flu-sical temperment especially adapts him for his present work, are filling respec-tively the positions recently given up by Mr. Henry W. Hughes and Mr. Will Day, long favorites with church audi-

Among attractions for the coming week, on Monday night a musicale at the country home of Mr. W. P. Hub-hard. This takes the place of the usual Tuesday evening. Hours from 7 to 11.

Another musicale is booked (but the evening not decided) at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George K. Wheat, on

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